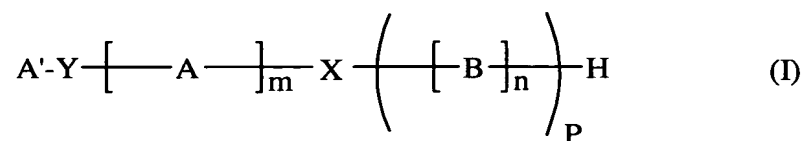


Abstract

A mixture comprising a surfactant and a cosurfactant is proposed, wherein the cosurfactant used is an amphiphilic polymer with the structural formula

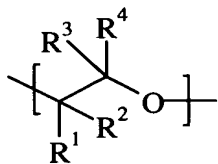


in which

A' is an unbranched or branched alkyl, cycloalkyl, aryl or aralkyl radical having 1 to 60 carbon atoms,

Y is S or O,

A is a structural unit with the formula

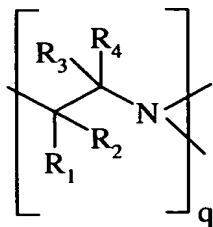


in which

R¹, R², R³ and R⁴ independently of one another, are the substituents hydrogen, methyl, ethyl, n-propyl, octyl or phenyl,

m is a running number in the range from 10 to 200,

X is a structural unit with the formula



in which the substituents

R_1 , R_2 , R_3 and R_4 are the same as in the structural unit A,

$q = 0$ or $q = 1$,

B is a monomeric subunit based on ethylene oxide or a mixture of ethylene oxide and propylene oxide,

n is a running number in the range from 20 to 500 and

$p = q + 1$.

(Fig. 1)